## Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 32 of page 14 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln (SEO ID NO:22)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His (SEQ ID NO:23)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu (SEQ ID NO:24)

Phe Leu Ser Pro (SEQ ID NO:25)

Phe Leu Ser (SEQ ID NO:26)

Phe Leu (SEO ID NO:27)

Phe (SEQ ID NO:28)

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 15 of page 15 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro Arg (SEQ ID NO:4)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro (SEQ ID NO:5)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln (SEO ID NO:6)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu (SEQ ID NO:7)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys (SEQ ID NO:8)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala (SEQ ID NO:9)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro (SEQ ID NO:10)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro (SEQ ID NO:11)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys (SEQ ID NO:12)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser Lys (SEQ ID NO:13)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser (SEO ID NO:14)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu (SEO ID NO:15)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg Lys (SEQ ID NO:16)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln Arg (SEO ID NO:17)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln Gln (SEQ ID NO:18)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val Gln (SEO ID NO:19)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Val (SEQ ID NO:20)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg (SEO ID NO:21)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln (SEQ ID NO:22)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His (SEO ID NO:23)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu (SEQ ID NO:24)

Phe Leu Ser Pro (SEO ID NO:25)

Phe Leu Ser (SEQ ID NO:26)

Phe Leu (SEO ID NO:27)

Phe (SEO ID NO:28)

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 18 of page 16 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser

Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro Arg (SEQ ID NO:29)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro (SEQ ID NO:30)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln (SEQ ID NO:31)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu (SEQ ID NO:32)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys (SEQ ID NO:33)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala (SEQ ID NO:34)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro (SEQ ID NO:35)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro (SEQ ID NO:36)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys (SEO ID NO:37)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys (SEQ ID NO:38)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser (SEQ ID NO:39)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

(SEQ ID NO:40)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg Lys (SEQ

ID NO:41)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln Arg (SEQ ID NO:42)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln Gln (SEQ ID NO:43)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val Gln (SEQ ID NO:44)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Val (SEQ ID NO:45)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys (SEQ ID NO:46)

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 14 of page 17 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro Arg (SEQ ID NO:47)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro (SEQ ID NO:48)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln (SEO ID NO:49)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu (SEO ID NO:50)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys (SEQ ID NO:51)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arq Ala Gln Gln Arq Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala (SEQ ID NO:52)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro (SEQ ID NO:53)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arq Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro (SEQ ID NO:54)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys (SEO ID NO:55)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys (SEQ ID NO:56)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser (SEQ ID NO:57)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

(SEQ ID NO:58)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys (SEQ

ID NO:59)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln Arg (SEO ID

NO:60)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln Gln (SEQ ID

NO:61)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala Gln (SEQ ID NO:62)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Arg Ala (SEQ ID NO:63)

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Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 10 of page 18 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro Arg (SEO ID NO:64)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln Pro (SEQ ID NO:65)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu Gln (SEQ ID NO:66)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys Leu (SEQ ID NO:67)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala Lys (SEQ ID NO:68)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro Ala (SEQ ID NO:69)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro Pro (SEQ ID NO:70)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys Pro (SEO ID NO:71)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys Lys (SEQ ID NO:72)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser Lys (SEQ ID NO:73)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

Ser (SEQ ID NO:74)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys Glu

(SEQ ID NO:75)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg Lys (SEQ

ID NO:76)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln Arg (SEO ID

<u>NO:77)</u>

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln Gln (SEO ID

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NO:78)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala Gln (SEQ ID NO:79)
Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln Lys Ala (SEQ ID NO:80)

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 7 of page 19 with the following amended paragraph:

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His Gln (SEQ ID NO: 22)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu His (SEO ID NO: 23)

Phe Leu Ser Pro Glu (SEQ ID NO: 24)

Phe Leu Ser Pro (SEQ ID NO: 25)

Phe Leu Ser (SEQ ID NO: 26)

Phe Leu (SEQ ID NO: 27)

Phe (SEQ ID NO: 28)

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 26 of page 22 with the following amended paragraph:

In the above examples, the 28 aa human ghrelin has the sequence shown in  $\underline{SEO\ ID\ NO:1}$ , and when acylated is acylated in position 3.

Please delete the paragraphs at page 50, line 22 to page 53, line 6.

## IN THE SEQUENCE LISTING

Please substitute the attached Sequence Listing, numbered as pages 1-19 for the Sequence Listing previously submitted as part of the specification (pp. 50-53). The attached sequence liting is intended to be entered as a separate part of the disclosure, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e) and not in place of the improperly located original sequence listing.